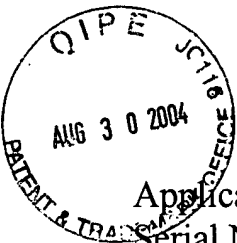


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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Stefan Wintermantel  
Serial No: 09/806,085  
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DENTURES AT TOOTH CROWNS OR TOOTH IMPLANTS  
Examiner: John J. Wilson Art Unit: 3732

August 25, 2004

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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks  
Washington, D.C. 20231

SIR:

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<X> 7 (SEVEN) SHEETS OF DRAWINGS FIGS. 1 - 25

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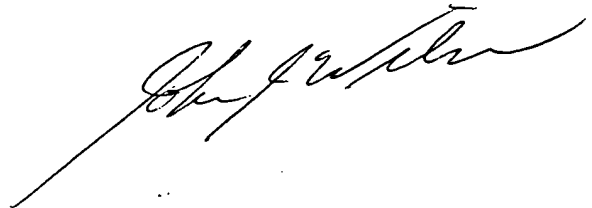
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Continuation of Attachment(s) 9. Other: The drawings submitted June 18, 2003 stand objected to because numeral 12 in Fig. 2 is not in the proper position. Applicant's stated that a new sheet was submitted, however no such sheet has been received. Applicant is required to submit a new set of drawings including the corrected Fig. 2.

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